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Applicant : Allen P. Chen et al. ✓
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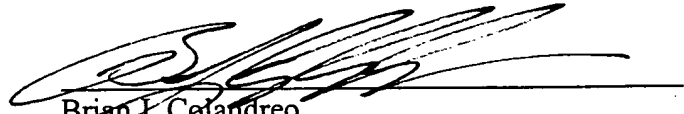
PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated January 4, 2001, be extended for one month to and including April 4, 2001.

Enclosed is a check for \$110 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: MARCH 27, 2001


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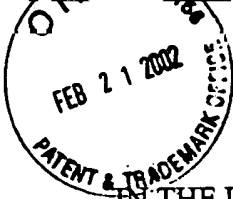
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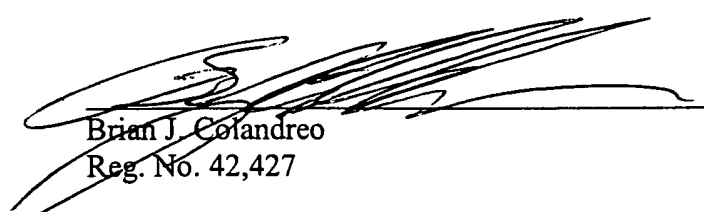
PETITION FOR FOUR-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated January 4, 2001, be extended for four months to and including July 4, 2001.

Enclosed is a check for \$1280 for the required fee. This \$1280 fee represents the difference between the \$1390 four month extension fee and the \$110 one month extension fee previously paid by the applicant on March 27, 2001. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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